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RESPONSE TO JUNE 26, 2006, OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

This is a response to the June 26, 2006, Office Action, which set a shortened statutory response period extending to and including September 26, 2006.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.

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